Pharmacy Building Self-Guided Walking Tour

Begin Tour Here: Second Floor

Dean’s Suite – 270 This is the office suite for admissions & advisement, external affairs, outcomes & assessment, student, professional & community affairs, and the Deans office.

Once you leave the office suite (270), go to the left, here you will find rooms:

Gumtow Library – 260 This room is a quiet study area. It contains comfortable furniture at individual desks and wireless printer stations. There are four breakout spaces with a table and four chairs intended for group study, small student club/organization meetings, and faculty/student meetings.

Cecil & Violet Newton Center for Instructional Technology – 268 There are 39 stations in this computer lab. Only currently UB SPPS students are allowed access to this lab, however, there are several printers throughout the building. There is another lab on the 3rd floor in room 345.

Student Lounge – 298 This room is strictly for students. It includes comfortable furniture, a fridge, microwave and coffee maker. There’s another lounge on the third floor in room 440 for graduate (MS/PhD) students.

Pharmaceutical Sciences Undergraduate Meeting Room – 297 Students enrolled in the undergraduate program in pharmaceutical sciences (BS) have access to this room and can use it to study and hold meetings.

Now make your way back towards 270, then go to the right. Here you’ll find:

Instructional Seminar Rooms – 264B & 264A The classroom features state-of-the-art technologies including a teaching station, audio and monitors, as well as video capture of lectures for online distribution. (There are also movable desks, so the space can be divided into two classrooms or used for mixed-use opportunities.)

Panasci Atrium – This is a casual seating area. There are several display cases that surround all columns in the lobby which contain artifacts from donors.

Model Pharmacy – 252 At the top of the stairs is a multi-use space for community- and hospital-based pharmacy activities. Students perform counseling, dispensing, packaging, order intake, and narcotics processing.

Take a slight left, here you will see:

Patient Assessment Suite – 250 This is a large classroom/breakout space. It includes 12 patient assessment rooms, containing an exam table, computer chart, laptop, wall-mounted camera and microphone, and exam tools. Here, students assess patients and make recommendations.

Thank you for your interest in the University at Buffalo’s School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences (UB SPPS)!

The Pharmacy Building is a state-of-the-art teaching and research center which includes faculty, staff, and students in Pharmaceutical Sciences and Pharmacy.

The building has been certified gold under the Council’s Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) rating system. The building contains floor to ceiling windows and is made with the best materials and filled with state-of-the-art scientific equipment.

The Dean and chief officer of the school is Dr. Gary Pollack.
Make a slight right and continue to walk straight around the loop. Here you will find:

Apothecary Museum – 262A The apothecary depicts the practice of pharmacy in the US in the late 1700s to the mid 1900s, with a focus on the very late 19th century (1890s) through the mid-century (1950s early 1960s).

Look to the left: make your way to the first floor via elevator or the stairs:

Café – This is a casual meeting area used for small social gatherings that is in the process of being remodeled.

Instructional Seminar Rooms – 183A and 183B This is a general classroom that seats 80 people. It can be split into two classrooms. It includes state-of-the-art technology including a teaching station, monitors, audio, and video capture of lectures for web broadcast. The tables and chairs are easily moved into different configurations to accommodate various types of classroom instruction.

If you go to the left, you’ll see:

Compounding Lab – 130 Here students learn to make drugs including powders, capsules, suppositories, lip balm, cough syrup lollipops, and more.

Lecture Halls – 125 (& 190) Home to PHM 101 Pharmacy Is Right for Me! Both rooms can be used together by streaming to accommodate a total of 460 students. Both halls contain several large screens and monitors, a video capture system for online lectures, a push-to-talk microphone for distance learning, and soundproof fabrics and acoustic ceilings.

Student Lockers – Lockers are used to store the personal belongings of PharmD students. (Large bags cannot be brought into the Model Pharmacy and Compounding Labs.) Lockers are located on each side of the building.

On the third & fourth floor, you’ll find rooms:

Pharmaceutical Sciences Instrumentation Facility – 314 This facility is a school-wide core laboratory that provides access for students, staff and faculty. Currently the facility houses three liquid chromatography/mass spectrometry systems and a variety of instruments for analysis of drugs.

Levy Seminar Room – 443 This general classroom seats 50 people. It includes state-of-the-art technology including a teaching station, monitors, audio, and video capture of lectures for broadcast on the web.

Learn more about admission to our programs:

About UB SPPS – pharmacy.buffalo.edu/about-us

Admissions Viewbook – pharmacy.buffalo.edu/news-events/publications

Pharmacy Is Right for Me – pharmacyforme.org/pharm4me-materials

PharmD via Early Assurance – pharmacy.buffalo.edu/ea

PharmD via PharmCAS – pharmacy.buffalo.edu/pharmcas

Pharmaceutical Sciences – pharmacy.buffalo.edu/admissions/pharmaceutical-sciences

South Campus Walking Tour – bit.ly/south-campus-tour